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COMBINED NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 FIRE 18736(a) (Large Entity) In Re Application Of: Gradischnig APR 0 6 2005 Customer No. Group Art Unit | Confirmation No. Application No. Filing Date 29177 2665 August 17, 1999 09/367,580 Invention: NODE SUPPORTING LINKS HAVING THE ABILITY TO TRANSFER LONGER MESSAGES THAN **ACCORDING TO CURRENT MTP LEVEL 2** 04/07/2005 EFLORES 00000018 09367580 01 #C:1401 500.00 OP 5 **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** This is a combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of October 4, 2004 in the above-identified application. Date Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary October 4, 2004 finally rejecting Claim(s) 7, 8, 10 and 11 Applicant(s) hereby request(s) an extension of time of (check desired time period): ☐ Four months ☐ One month ☐ Two months January 4, 2005 until: April 4, 2005 Date The fee for the Notice of Appeal and Extension of Time has been calculated as shown below: 04/47/2005 EFLORES 00000018 09367580 Fee for Notice of Appeal: 02 AC:1253 1020.00 OP Fee for Extension of Time: \$1,020.00 TOTAL FEE FOR NOTICE OF APPEAL AND EXTENSION OF TIME: The fee for the Notice of Appeal and extension of time is to be paid as follows: for the Notice of Appeal and extension of time is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$1,520.00 ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \boxtimes The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818 Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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COMBINED NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE Docket No. BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR 112740-055 ENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) (Large Entity) Gradischnig APR 0 6 2005 Group Art Unit Filing Date Examiner Customer No. Confirmation No. August 17, 1999 M. Phan 29177 2665 4526 NODE SUPPORTING LINKS HAVING THE ABILITY TO TRANSFER LONGER MESSAGES THAN Invention: **ACCORDING TO CURRENT MTP LEVEL 2** TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is respectfully submitted by the undersigned: Dated: April 4, 2005 Peter Zura Reg. No. 48,196 Bell, Boyd & Lloyd LLC P.O. Box 1135 Chicago, Illinois 60690-1135 Phone: (312) 807-4208 Certificate of Transmission by Facsimile* Certificate of Mailing I hereby certify that this correspondence is being certify that this document and authorization to charge deposit account is being facsimile transmitted to the United deposited with the United States Postal Service with States Patent and Trademark Office sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, (Fax no. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a) on <u>April</u> 4, 2005 (Date) (Date Signature Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence Heather Foster Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate *This certificate may only be used if paying by deposit account. CC:

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner dated October 4, 2004 rejecting Claims 7, 8, 10 and 11.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$500.00. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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